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SUBJECT: TEXTILES: U.S. PHILIPPINE BILATERAL TEXTILE AGREEMENT

1. THE TEXTILE EXPORT BOARD (TEB) LETTER OF FEBRUARY 27, 1978
FORWARDED TO THE EMBASSY A COPY OF A LETTER FROM DONNA HARP
OF W. J. BYRNES AND COMPANY, 125 WEST 4TH STREET, LOS ANGELES.
THE LETTER WHICH WAS ADDRESSED TO ROSALIE SANTOS, 30835 MAIN
MAST DRIVE, AGOURA, CALIFORNIA, STATED THAT SENIOR IMPORT
SPECIALIST HAROLD PINTAR (OTHERWISE UNIDENTIFIED)
MAINTAINS THAT IMPORTS FROM THE PHILIPPINES IN CATEGORIES
641 (BLOUSES), 659 (WEARING APPAREL), 650 (DRESSING GOWNS), AND
642 (SKIRTS) ARE NOT RESTRICTED BY THE U.S.-GOP TEXTILE BILATERAL
DURING CALENDAR 1978. THE TEB HAS ASKED US TO COMMENT ON
THE W. J. BYRNES LETTER.

2. EMBASSY OFFICER HAS EXPLAINED TO TEB PERSONNEL THAT ALL
OF THESE ITEMS WHICH DO NOT HAVE SPECIFIC LIMIT OR DESIGNATED
CONSULTATION LEVEL ARE STILL SUBJECT TO A 700,000 SYE
CONSULTATION LEVEL. SO FAR AS EMBASSY CAN
DETERMINE USING TRANSLATION FROM OLD CATEGORY NUMBERS
TO NEW CATEGORY NUMBER AND ATTEMPTING TO UNTANGLE
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TRADITIONAL AND NON-TRADITIONAL DESIGNATION, CATEGORY 641
(OLD CATEGORY 228) HAS A DCL. THE OTHER CATEGORIES
LISTED FALL UNDER THE 700,000 SYE GENERAL CONSULTATION
LEVEL PROVISION.

3. EMBASSY OFFICER REQUESTS OFFICE OF TEXTILES, COMMERCE,
VERIFY THIS DETERMINATION. IT WOULD ALSO BE VERY

HELPFUL IF THE OFFICE OF TEXTILES COULD FURNISH THE
EMBASSY WITH AN UP-TO-DATE PERFORMANCE REPORT LISTING
THE NEW CATEGORY NUMBERS AND LIMITATION LEVELS, AND SHOWING THE
DIVISION BETWEEN TRADITIONAL AND NON-TRADITIONAL ITEMS.

4. THE OFFICE OF TEXTILES MAY ALSO WISH TO CONTACT
W. J. BYRNES AND COMPANY IN LOS ANGELES TO CORRECT THEIR
ERRONEOUS INTERPRETATIONS OF LIMITATION LEVELS ON THE
PRODUCTS CITED ABOVE.
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